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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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In re	:	MDL No. 1285	FILED
VITAMINS ANTITRUST LITIGATION.	:	Misc. No. 99-197 (TFH)	MAY 0 9 2001
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This Document Relates To:	:		
ALABAMA MEDICAID AGENCY,	:	D.D.C. Case No. 00 Civ. 2510 (TFH) (Transferred from S.D. Ala.)	
Plaintiff,	:		
– against –	:		
F. HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE LTD et al.,	:		
Defendants.	:		
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STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER MODIFYING BRIEFING SCHEDULE ON MOTIONS TO DISMISS

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, subject to the approval of the Court, as follows:

- No defendant need respond to the amended complaint before Monday,
 May 14, 2001;
- 2. Plaintiff will serve its responses to any motions to dismiss on or before June 11, 2001; reply papers on such motions are to be served by June 28, 2001;
- 3. In no circumstances need any defendant respond to the amended complaint until the 30th day after that defendant has been served with process; and,

4. All defenses, including without limitation the defenses of lack of personal jurisdiction, insufficiency of service of process and failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted, are preserved.

Dated: May 3, 2001

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SO ORDERED, May **7**, 2001:

Hon. THOMAS F. HOGAM

United States District Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that this Stipulation and [Proposed] Order was served on all MDL counsel on May 3, 2001, by transmission to Verilaw in accordance with the Order Regarding Electronic Service entered May 17, 2000.

MICHAEL O. WARE